

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Ricardo Perotto  
U.S. Appln. No. : 10/705,767  
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Title of Invention : METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING A PART OF A SPORTS  
BOOT  
Confirm No. : 4372  
Examiner : Patrick Butler  
Art Unit : 1732

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**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL ACTION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

DO NOT ENTER: /P.B./

July 10, 2008

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER**  
**37 C.F.R. §1.116 AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on March 10, 2008, setting a three-month term for reply, *i.e.*, up to and including June 10, 2008.